



2025 EHDI-MS Symposium Agenda



Centennial Plaza - Gulfport, Mississippi February 27-28, 2025

February 27, 2025

8:30AM-10:00AM	<i>Breakfast & Registration</i> <i>Breakfast Sponsored By Phonak</i>
10:00AM-10:15AM	Welcome and Introductions
10:15AM-11:45AM	<i>What's the Formula to Create Trusting Change?</i> <i>Dr. William White</i>
11:45AM-1:00PM	Lunch Provided
1:00PM-2:00PM	<i>Parent Panel</i> The Parent Panel brings together parents of children who are deaf or hard of hearing to share their unique experiences, challenges, and triumphs.
2:00PM-2:15PM	Break <i>Sponsored By MED-EL</i>
2:15PM-3:15PM	<i>Family Driven Advocacy</i> <i>Coreaner Price & Nikki Flippins</i> <i>Families as Allies - Mississippi</i>
3:15PM-3:30PM	Break <i>Sponsored By e3 Diagnostics & Advanced Bionics</i>
3:30PM-4:30PM	<i>Living with Hearing Loss: A Mother/Daughter Perspective</i> <i>Teresa Laney & Aimee Rankin</i>



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8:00AM-9:00AM	<p><i>Parent and Professional Collaborative Breakfast</i> <i>Hosted By Mississippi Hands and Voices</i> The EHDI-MS Symposium Parent and Professional Collaborative Breakfast, hosted by Mississippi Hands & Voices, brings together families and professionals to foster meaningful connections and shared insights in supporting children who are deaf or hard of hearing.</p>
9:00AM-9:15AM	Welcome
9:15AM-10:15AM	<p><i>Early Intervention Virtually: Considering the Options</i> <i>Alexandria Mestres</i></p>
10:15AM-10:30AM	<p>Break <i>Sponsored By Cochlear</i></p>
10:30AM-11:30AM	<p><i>We've Got the Power! Empowering Families and Professional for Bilingual Success in ASL and English</i> <i>Germaine Graham</i></p>
11:30AM-12:00PM	<p><i>EHDI-MS Updates and Future</i> <i>Dr. Ashten C. Yost, EHDI-MS Director</i></p>
12:00PM-12:15PM	Closing Remarks